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1. LUKKA
2. OUACHITA
3. LEAWOOD
4. BAYSHORE
5. MELTING THE FROZEN SEA WITHIN US
(WITH HAMMOCK)

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You are Always Here

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These days, it seems, we no longer have to concern ourselves with distance. Ever since the telephone, in-between has gotten smaller and smaller. But one thing remains important – the places we are.

This glimmering and expansive EP is a testament to the life spent where we are, strange since it was composed in far-flung places: Iceland, Arkansas, New York. During the US premiere of **Riceboy Sleeps** (curated by Josh for friends Jonsi and Alex), **Josh Varnedore** and **Amman Abbasi (Abbasi Brothers)** decided to go to Iceland on a quest to make unique and beautiful music. After recording a few tracks there, they collaborated with Hammock and, before long, a collection of songs were born. Even without these auspicious beginnings, the music stands for itself - great expanses - open, wide and inviting. Magnificent, wide and warm, these 5 tracks transgress distance and seemingly bend time, grounded in something familiar, poignant and slightly epic. Offered on the new 'Folio' series, hand printed on letterpress, in a short-run of 500.

To further support these tracks, video director David Altobelli, (**Hammock, Arms and Sleepers, M83**) lovingly captured the track 'Leawood's' quiet nostalgia perfectly.

FOR FANS OF: Riceboy Sleeps, Hammock, July Skies